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"What is it, Bill?" the ranch owner

demanded.

Sentry trumped back into the room, laughing in a shamefaced sort of way.

"By the great horned toad, they done us!" He chuckled a bunch of shells into the hot coals, and sneaked out the side door while we were shooting in the front room.

"That's what they did," spoke up Nelson, as well as his cramped tongue would permit, being now free of the gag.

"They gagged us first, so we couldn't sing out; then they filled up the stove at heat."

What had promised to be a tragedy had proved a farce, and Wade smiled a little foolishly.

"The joke's on me, I guess, boys," he admitted. "But we've got the ranch back, at least in a way. How are you feeling, Ed, pretty all right and sore?"

"My Gawd, yes—awful!" Wade, too, declared from Parliash, the second of the victims; and the third man swore roundly that he would not regain the full use of his legs before Christmas.

"Well, you're lucky at that," was Sentry's dry comment. "How are you from getting' shot up some in the fight was layin' down at that corner where you was?"

"He'll keep," Wade said grimly. "We're not done with him yet, Bill. We've only just begun."

#### CHAPTER X.

##### The Senator Gets Busy

It was daylight when the route passed, with Race Moran in the lead, his left arm tied up in a red bandage, his right hand holding a revolver. A bullet had pierced the fleshy part of the right arm, and the flailing wound, but one which gave him more pain than he might have suffered from a serious injury. None of the members of the posse had been dangerously wounded; indeed, they had suffered more in the attack than in the fight; but there had been a number of minor casualties among the men, which had resulted in a bloody display to arouse the local population to active curiosity.

Under instructions from the leader, however, the fugitives kept grudgingly silent, so that curiosity was able to feed only on speculation as to Wade's temper, and the fact that he had brought about Sentry's release from jail. The story of the soldiers' flailing wound, but one which gave him more pain than he might have suffered from a serious injury. None of the members of the posse had been dangerously wounded; indeed, they had suffered more in the attack than in the fight; but there had been a number of minor casualties among the men, which had resulted in a bloody display to arouse the local population to active curiosity.

## TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

A Letter from Mrs. Smith Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Trenton, Ont.—"I am writing to you in regard to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It would not be without it. I have taken it before each of my children was born and afterwards, and had it a great help. Before my first baby was born I had shortness of breath and ringing in my ears. I felt as if I would never pull through. One day a friend of my husband told him of the Compound and he advised him to take a bottle home for me. After the fourth bottle I was a different woman. I have four children now, and I always find the Vegetable Compound a great help as it seems to make confinement easier. I recommend it to my friends."—Mrs. FRED H. SMITH, John St., Trenton, Ont.

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steps in his behalf they waited for the return of a horseman, who had hurried to the ranch to learn at first hand exactly what had happened there.

Meanwhile Moran, in an ugly mood, had awakened the Senator from the troubled sleep which had come to him after much wakeful toiling. Rexhill, with flushed face, wearing a bathrobe, from the bottom of which his bare ankles and stippled feet protruded, sat on the edge of the bed impatiently chewing an unlighted cigar while he listened to Moran's account of the fracas.

"You went too far, Race—you went too far," he burst out angrily at last. "You had no orders to jump the ranch, I told you."

"We've been fooling around long enough," Senator Moran interrupted sullenly, nursing his throbbing wrist. "It was high time somebody started something, and when I saw my chance I seized it. You seem to think—"

"Well, who told in the hardest kick, eh?" Rexhill snorted sarcastically. "The first blow's all yours, and the second's a knockout from the other side. Why, confound it, Race, here we had Wade in the net, and you broke into jail and set free a suspected murderer—a clear case of criminality. Then you had to spoil it all."

Moran smothered an imprecation. "You seem to forget, Senator," he said, "that we had him at our mercy before, and you wouldn't hear of it. If you'd take my advice, the first time we've had Wade in jail instead of Sentry and things might have been different."

"Your advice was worthless under the circumstances; that's why I didn't take it," the Senator replied, pausing and lighting his cigar, from which he took several soothing puffs. To have been aroused from the peaceful slumber which had lulled him somewhat, but he had never known anything so worth while as a heated discussion, and he sought now to calm himself. Finally, he spoke slowly. "What you proposed to do was a frame-up, and all frame-ups are dangerous, particularly when they have little to rest upon. For this reason I refused to fall in with your ideas, Race. This release of Sentry from jail is—or was—an entirely different thing, an overt criminal act, with Sheriff Thomas on our side as an unimpeachable witness."

Moran was suffering too keenly from his wound and smarting under his defeat too much to be altogether reasonable. His manner was fast losing the appearance of respect which he had previously shown his employer. His expressions were entirely different, and contemptuous.

"You didn't base your refusal on logic at the time, Senator," he said. "I was sentiment, if I remember right. Wade had broken bread with you, and all that. I don't know what your apples just as well now as it did then."

"It doesn't," the Senator argued stately, still ranking from Wade's arraignment of him the day before. "The Senator's hand is his hand in dismissal of the objection."

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"When you and Sheriff Thomas went to the ranch, you carried two warrants with you, one for Sentry, as the accessory, and one for Wade, as the principal, the second being a frame-up."

"I know what you are going to say; but I must save my own bacon now. Wade has proved himself to be a lawbreaker. I'm not going to protect him."

"Now you're talking!" exclaimed Moran, delighted at the prospect of what such a course would start going.

"I'll have the matter of the warrants fixed up with Thomas," the Senator continued. "Now, follow me carefully. Thomas arrested Sentry at the ranch, and then left you, as his deputy, to serve the other warrant on Wade when he came out. It was because of his knowledge of what was in store for him that Wade, after getting Sentry out of the net, turned on you and me, and it was in defense of the law that you returned their fire. It will all work out nicely."

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## The Feathered Glider

Man-o-War Bird Taken As Model For Airplanes

A model for airplanes and gliders, is the Man-o-War bird, which calmly floats through the air, seemingly without moving its wings, for hours at a time. Sometimes ascending in spirals, to a high altitude, or drifting lazily along, it directs its easy flight by changes of the angle of its "plumes," so slight as to be almost imperceptible. The bird which is "distinctly tropical, is impressive by reason of its size and the wide stretch of its long narrow wings, measuring nearly eight feet across. When thousands of these birds, in one great flock soar on motionless pinions they appear like an aerial army of invasion. The German scientists who bent their energies toward the perfecting of "gliders," the first experiments with caged birds. Into the great cages in which birds of various kinds were kept, they pumped air currents, noting carefully the effect which these would have upon the flight of the birds. The success which the "glider" has attained through science, is being more and more demonstrated every day.

Through one cause or another a large majority of people are troubled more or less, with some form of heart trouble.

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## "YOUR TEETH"

DECAY OF WOMEN'S TEETH  
By Mrs. Proctor McEwen, M.D., D.D.S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

At least sixty per cent. of a dentist's patients are women. The other forty per cent. are men and children. There are two reasons for this; one is that women more frequently consult the dentist because they are more careful of their health and appearance and the other is that women's teeth actually are more subject to decay than men's.

The teeth of women are of the same structure as are the teeth of men and are expected to perform the same work but they usually do not get the proper care because women do not eat foods that require as much vigorous chewing as those that men select.

One of the duties of the great majority of women is either to prepare or supervise the preparation of food for the household. The element of surprise when the next meal has in store is absent and the inhalation of the odors of cooking food takes what little "edge" there is left to the appetite. In addition, the preparation of food requires more or less frequent tasting of savory mixtures.

Women as a rule are satisfied to eat the softer and more highly flavored foods and sweetened desserts. As a result their teeth do not get the vigorous exercise that men's teeth do.

This lack of vigorous chewing allows the much of the saliva to stick to the teeth and the debris of soft food packs between and around the teeth.

Unless the teeth are most carefully cleaned with the brush at least twice each day and in addition are given a prophylactic treatment by the dentist occasionally, food and mucus will collect on the teeth and give rise to the growth of the bacteria of decay.

Where there is decomposition of food, organic acids are formed that attack the enamel of the teeth and make the work of the bacteria very easy. As the teeth decay, the packing of food becomes more extensive and the gums are inflamed and bleed easily.

All inflammation of the gums tend toward the establishment of that greatest of all enemies of the teeth—pyorrhea.

**Influence of the Planets**

Have the Stars Any Effect on Human Life?

Long ago it was thought that stars had a great effect on us, and this belief gradually grew into a cult called astrology.

Every action of our lives was attributed to the influence of the planets. A child was born "under" such and such a star, while other stars had more or less important powers over him, too, and by the position of these stars would his every action be regulated.

Later on we discovered that the earth was, after all, only a star itself, and not a very important one at that, and that it was not the centre of the universe as we had formerly thought.

Yet there may be something in astrology. The moon, we know, affects the sea tides, and probably also creates atmospheric tides. Pressure of the atmosphere is decidedly affected, mentally and bodily, and therefore the old idea of the moon's affecting us may not be so wrong as we once thought.

**A Musk Rat Farm**

With the idea of starting a muskrat farm, Dr. Gordon Richards, of Toronto, is engaged in fencing off a large portion of the lowlands of Newboro Lake, near the village of the same name, to broaden his fur farming acreage. He is already engaged in raising mink at Newboro.

**It Needs Turpentine**

Sometimes horse polish becomes hard in the box and not fit to use. You can soften it and make it as good as new if you add a little turpentine and let it stand for a short time.

During the recent Turkish crisis more than 700 Armenian children had to escape from Constantinople to the Ozark Island of Corfu.

**Jersey Cattle in Quebec**

According to a recent census conducted by the Jersey breeders of Quebec there are approximately one hundred farmers raising Jersey cattle in that province. Their herds comprise about two hundred pure-bred animals and over six hundred grades.

The fact that there were no automobiles in his day may account, to some extent at least, for the advanced age of Mrs. Melusetha—Columbus District.

The average woman is so contrary that she has faith in her husband because nobody else has.

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**SOME IMPROVEMENT (?)**

The other day we overheard a prominent prohibitionist argue that conditions in the United States had very much improved since the government decided to rigidly enforce the prohibition act, but judging from the following from a recent issue of a Philadelphia Paper, one must feel that Canada is not the only country in the world in which the higher-ups or those in authority can be bribed. Read this: "Harold L. Smith, local broker and former Intercollegiate sprint champion, who has pleaded guilty to conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with a shipment of 9000 drums of alcohol and whiskey to Greece, yesterday testified that Matthew F. Griffin, former chief of the United States Secret Service in Philadelphia received \$29,200 for his part in the alleged conspiracy."

Change of venue from Macleod to Calgary in the libel action brought by A. A. McGillivray, K.C., against J. W. McDonald, ex-K.C., was granted by Mr. Justice Walsh on Monday. The date of hearing has not been set. This action arises out of a letter by Mr. McDonald, published in The Enterprise, addressed to Attorney-General Brewster, in which the former Macleod crown prosecutor criticized the government's handling of certain liquor cases and in which Mr. McGillivray's name was mentioned.

OTTAWA, March 27.—Introducing the estimates of the department of immigration and colonization in the House of Commons, Hon. Charles Stewart made his explanatory statement of government policy. Regarding the men whom it is proposed to attract to vacant Canadian farms, Mr. Stewart said he proposed to give them the full advantage of the experience of the Field Supervisors of the Soldier Settlement Board for at least the next two years. He did not intend to propose supervision longer than was absolutely necessary, but he thought that for this year and next year the government would maintain that force of men because he believed they had been the greatest contributing factor to the success of the scheme so far.

Since last year the proportion of success among soldier settlers had been considerably greater. In spite of the fact that throughout Canada there had been a more or less unsatisfactory year in agriculture, the need for salvaging the soldier who had been placed on the land had perhaps reached the lowest point, notwithstanding the discouragements experienced. That, perhaps, was not true of the Province of Alberta, where a very severe drought was experienced last year throughout the northern portion where so many soldiers had settled.

The Field Supervisor of the Board would be available to render assistance to new settlers. The government was advertising in the Old Country and elsewhere the fact that the settler would come and get expert advice from those men with respect to where he should locate, with respect to value of the land and with respect to how he should take advantage of the conditions confronting him.

Later on, Mr. Stewart, in reply to questions by Mr. Cahill and the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, stated that the government had in view two distant services to be placed at the disposal of new settlers. The service the Soldier Settlement Supervisor would render would be that he, in a larger way, would be available to the settler

coming from the Old Land, because he was a paid official of the government. A vast amount of information about the whole country was at the disposal of the Supervisor. The settler could also obtain advice from the Supervisor as to the minimum and maximum amount he should pay for land in any given locality, but the real service would start when the settler was placed upon the land no matter what agency placed him there. As a newcomer, he would have from the Supervisors the advice that was so important in the initial stages of settlement. Mr. Stewart anticipated that practically all the settlers coming from the Old Country would utilize the services of the Soldier Settlement Board.

Mr. Herbert Mapier, M. P., also discussed this aspect of the question. He was chairman of the Parliamentary Committee which investigated the Soldier Settlement scheme during last session. He said: "There is at the present time an excellent organization called the Soldier Settlement Board which can look after immigrants who come here. They are able not only to bring immigrants to the proper sections of the country in which they can be placed, but they can explain to them what should be grown and what should not be grown. They can keep a watchful eye over the immigrant when he comes here during the early years in Canada, and generally speaking, the Soldier Settlement Board is a most excellent organization in every way and the man at the head of it is a thoroughly reliable man. The Soldier Settlement Board has done remarkably well in this country in every way. Some people are very apt to say that the land which was bought for the soldiers has been a loss. \* There has not been a loss on that land. There has been a certain loss, I admit, on the stock and implements, but as regards lands purchased for the soldiers up to the 31st of January last there was a surplus—I am speaking of the lands taken back—of over \$402.00 over

what was paid for the lands." Mr. Shaw, of Calgary, asked if he would favor the extension of the principles of the Soldier Settlement Board to other than soldier settlers. "Yes, I would," replied Mr. Marler. "I am quite frank in saying that I believe the Soldier Settlement Board, if extended in other directions, would prove a great colonization agency in this country and that the money would be very well spent if set aside for the purpose of bringing in people and colonizing them and keeping them on the land. As proof that I do not think the country would lose a single dollar by a policy of that description, I cite the splendid work that the Soldier Settlement Board has done in regard to settling returned soldiers. When they bought their land they had not as great experience as they have now, and if they were out now and bought land of this description and put suitable families of settlers onto these lands, the money would be well spent in the interests of this country."

The discussion lasted the entire day.

The debt of the Dominion of Canada before the war (1913) was \$314,301,626, compared with \$2,422,115,802 in 1922, or \$29.29 and \$276.29 per capita respectively. The current revenue in 1913 was \$108,689,903, and in 1922 \$331,952,287, or \$21.08 and \$43.55 per capita respectively.

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ON A LAWYER

A Crows' Nest Pass attorney was examining a witness in court the other day.

"Have you ever been arrested before?" he asked the man.

"No, sir," the witness answered emphatically.

"Have you ever been in this court before?"

"No, sir."

"Are you sure of that?"

"Yes, sir!"

"Your face looks very familiar—very familiar. Where have I seen you before?"

"Well, sir," the witness calmly answered, "before the country went dry I was bartender in the saloon across the street from here."

## "WHAT YOUR HUSBAND NEEDS"

"One night my husband came home looking so ill and worn out that I thought he would faint. I knew there had been something wrong with him for some time, but I could not get him to tell me what it was. Finally he confessed he was tired and sore all over. I made him go to bed that morning he insisted upon going to work although he was anything but well. I knew that his trouble was partly due to worry because for some months before he had been out of work. This put us so heavily in debt that he groaned and butler refused to give us more credit. It was being out of work that worried my husband. He wouldn't eat because he was afraid there would not be enough food for the children. We were so poor that we had to keep the children from school because they had no clothes. I knew that if I could only get my husband strong and well again everything would be all right. He is a carpenter by trade and when in good health earns good wages and he is always sober and industrious. But I knew that it was impossible for any man to do good work when he was ill and worried. I decided to speak to our old family doctor, who had retired from practice. When I explained how we were situated he gladly offered to do all he could to help us, although he didn't like to interfere with the new doctor's practice. Finally he said, 'What your husband needs is a good tonic and I know of nothing better than Carnel.' I thought that if our old family doctor recommends Carnel it must be all right. On my way home I got a bottle and before the first bottle had been used, my husband was a changed man. After he had taken four bottles his appetite returned, he had more energy, that tired look in his eyes disappeared and what is most important his wages have been more than doubled and he is now superintendent of the wood working shop in which he formerly worked as a carpenter. Thanks to Carnel our troubles are over and we are once more a happy and contented family."

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## NEWS OF WAR BETWEEN TWO DESERT TRIBES

(From Our Arabian Correspondent.)

And it came to pass that on a certain evening, as the sun was sinking in the heavens and a certain tribe of Arabia, known as the "Sheiks," were met in prayer, giving thanks to Allah for all good things, a stranger, riding furiously into their midst upon a jet-black Arab steed, threw them a message and riding away, left them full of wonder and alarm.

After a time, one of the tribe, who, being blessed with the knowledge of all languages, opened the parchment upon which was written the following message:

"To Thee, Sheikhs of Arabia, Greetings! We, the tribesmen of yonder Greenhill, do hereby declare war upon thee and thine. At this hour of sundown, say day hence, we will descend and scatter you and yours to the wind of the desert. Take heed and be prepared, for no matter what your arms, we will devise ways and means to exterminate you from the holy desert."

Signed—Tribe-men of the Greenhill. After reading the message, the learned Sheik moved slowly forward with a troubled look upon his brow and standing facing the setting sun, spoke thus:

"Sheikhs, as Allah is above us, list to the change of our enemies from yonder Greenhill. They speak loudly of their might and say that they will drive us, Oh mighty Sheiks, from the sands that we hold most dear. At this hour one day hence, they will descend upon us in great multitudes and with loud chanting and fast steeds and will battle with us. Allah be praised for these great tidings. Away, Oh Sheiks of Arabia and gather in thy fighting array and upon thy fastest steeds at this hour of which they speak."

And it came to pass that at the hour of sunset upon the following day the Sheikhs saw far off in the distance some great clouds tearing in all haste towards them. Gazing at the clouds, some said "war" but a desert storm arising. Others spoke of friendly tribes from a far off city coming with prices great and sweet waters to pay tribute to the greatness of the Sheikhs; but one, the wisest of all Sheikhs, knowing well in his troubled mind the cause of all the dust, spoke unto his brothers, saying: "Tis the tribesmen of the Greenhill coming to give battle unto us. Mount thy steeds and give the wild and weird battle cry of the Sheikhs." He then sprang upon his steed and led the throng into the battle.

The battle raged for hours and many were the great deeds that were done. But, alas, as was foreboded in the message, the Tribesmen of the Greenhill routed the noble Sheikhs of Arabia, there being three of their dead to a lonely one of the tribesmen.

And it came to pass that on a certain day not far from the day of battle, when the Sheikhs of Arabia were tending those of theirs who had suffered greatly in the hostilities, that certain ones of the Tribesmen of Greenhill came upon their steeds and demanding food and drink of the Sheikhs sat down upon their haunches to await their meal.

The wise man of the Sheikhs, knowing well that it was useless to parley with the tribesmen, ordered his brethren to bring before them all the finest dishes procurable and knowing that the way to these men's hearts was through their stomachs, many tasteful delicacies were placed before them. Knowing well also the charm of desert music, the wise Sheikhs brought forth his finest pipers, and the Tribesmen hearing the haunting melodies, their faces, which had before been as wax, became full of smiles and they burst forth into song.

The wise Sheik, waiting for a time when he knew the hearts of his enemies were full to overflowing, spoke to them thusly: "Oh Tribesmen of Greenhill, list unto us whom we have conquered, it gives great happiness to have such good spirited victims amongst us. We give all we have within our midst to you with good wishes and a prayer by the voice of Allah that we may be granted a time when we can see thy people off in the distance awaiting to battle with us again. We greet you this eve with fine dishes of sweetsmeats and with good drink, also have we given unto you the finest of our music. We hold out the hand of friendship, not because we want to, but because we have to; but remember and take this message unto the rest of thy brethren, that we will meet again and we pray to Allah that the spells of the battle will change hands and that it will be thee and thine that will haunt us. I have naught more to say only to ask you to eat these eyes around and see the havoc that thou had wrought amongst our brethren."

The Tribesmen who had dined well, laughed loud and long, thinking of it all as a great joke, and rising, thanked the wise Sheik for his hospitality, then mounted their steeds and rode away to the distance. Greenhill.

OF AN ENQUIRING MIND

The children in the second grade had just finished reading about Columbus. The teacher was putting away her geography, when little Jackie aged 6, raised a small brown hand.

"Is there a question you'd like to ask, Jackie?" inquired the teacher.

"Yes, teacher. Is there any place we know of that hasn't been discovered yet?"

A man is a creature who would rather go to his lodge and ride the goat than stay at home and—be the goat.

## THE PASS FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From Frank Paper, 1908)

Sept. 17.—A disgraceful situation exists relative to the Blairmore cemetery, which serves as a burial ground for both Blairmore and Frank, thru a long controversy over the ownership of the land. The latest development in the matter is a suit for damages said to be instituted by Joseph Little against Capt. W. A. Beebe, as custodian of the cemetery, for trespass.

People are wondering as to whether we have sunk so low that the government of a great nation like Canada is going to stand for such scurrilous business and reward one of its party workers by wilfully awarding him ownership of the hallowed precincts of a burial ground.

James Weir, formerly of the Strathcona Chronicle, but now secretary of the Licensed Victuallers Association, visited The Pass the early part of the week.

John Henderson, F. M. Collins, A. Pelletier, James Robertson, R. W. Morgan and George Whittaker, all of Pincher-Creek were in town this week in connection with the meeting of the board of license commissioners.

Sept. 24.—Mrs. Connelly, wife of Robert Connelly, left her home at Bellevue on Saturday last and has not since been seen. It is feared that she strayed away some distance into the hills and that by now would have succumbed to hunger and fatigue. Mrs. Connelly was the first white woman to make her home in the Pass, coming here with her husband in May, 1892. They were then, practically the only settlers. Mrs. Connelly was seventy-three years of age.

John Kelly & Sons, of Winnipeg, have been awarded the contract for the C.P.R. bridge over the Old Man River on the Macleod-Lethbridge cut-off. The bridge is to cost \$300,000 and will be of the same style as the bridge being built at Lethbridge.

Bellevue is to have a new church, to be erected by the Methodist denomination. The West Canadian Collieries Co. has donated a lot 60 x 100 feet as a site. Frayer & Sinclair, of Blairmore, have been awarded the contract.

Henry L. Frank's will, made more than twenty-five years ago, was filed for probate in the district court at Butte, Montana, last week. By it he leaves his father one-fourth of his property, his mother one-fourth, the other fourth going to his sisters and brother.

Walter Fisher has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits.

There was considerable stir in court circles at Delmore last week end, arising over the refusal of a representative of a Calgary cabaret orchestra to pay for rooms engaged at The Bellevue Inn. From what we can gather, the facts are that the orchestra was to give an entertainment in Bellevue on that night and also play for a dance. The advance representative of the organization made room reservation at the Bellevue Inn for the members of his party (all men). Shortly afterwards said manager repaired to his room, accompanied by a fair lady. Questioned by the proprietress as to their being man and wife the answer from the man was in the affirmative. Doubting the answer, however, the proprietress decided to phone the police, but before getting them the party had decided to move elsewhere. On passing out, settlement was demanded and refused. Police on arrival were notified of what had happened and went to locate the party. They were found to have registered at a Chinese boarding house nearby and one of the party were located in a cafe booth. The advance man was caused to appear before the court and pleading guilty was fined \$25.00 and costs, and ordered to make settlement for rooms engaged at the Bellevue Inn.

There are still a few cases of scarlet fever in town.

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## COWLEY HAPPENINGS

The local Oddfellows will hold their annual dance on April the 16th.

Mrs. Crawford and children, of Drumheller, are visiting Mrs. James Leigh at present.

Gerald and Walter Smith left on Sunday night's train for Calgary.

Miss Anderson has returned from Parkland and resumed her duties as teacher.

The dance held in Tustian's hall on Friday night was much enjoyed. Music was furnished by local talent.

The last monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Donald on Thursday evening. In spite of the snow storm, several turned out and an interesting meeting was held.

Fred Guthrie went to church on Sunday last.

A tribe so primitive that it believes that Americans live on the bottom of the world and are therefore in darkness, has been found in the mountain villages of the Daghestan by Dr. F. A. Golder, of the Hoover foundation. These people think Americans walk upside down and that to get there Dr. Golder had to come through a hole in the ground.

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## Try To Apprehend Parties Responsible For Shipment Of Liquor

Winnipeg.—Police agents are seeking important figures in the coast bootlegging ring responsible for shipping \$25,000 worth of fine wines and whiskies to the Dominion Lumber and Fuel Company of Winnipeg, camouflaged as shingles. Arrests are expected either at Calgary or Vancouver or at both places.

Officials of the company have refused to receive the car as billed to them when reported by the railway company and declared the name of the alleged shippers were spurious. The company has no branch at the coast and was not interested in what the company officials supposed was an ordinary lumber shipment misdirected. The railway investigation that followed, disclosed the character of the contents, and the police confiscated the whole shipment, both the railway officials and the fuel company siding with the authorities. The address given at Vancouver proved to be fictitious on police investigation and the men responsible for the transportation of the 225 cases of assorted rare vintages are still unknown.

The disclosures are believed to be the key the authorities have been seeking for some time as to the identity of persons connected with wholesale bootlegging in Manitoba and the Lake of the Woods district. The contraband was completely covered with shingles and it is believed the shippers planned, as a part of the scheme, to divert the car by wire at the last moment to an address between Winnipeg and Port William. This is not unusual in lumber, which is frequently sent from the coast on the shipping-in-transit rate, and diverted by wire orders of the shippers to other points as the market is developed for lumber. The fact that no bill of lading accompanied the car, but was retained by the shippers, is believed to be evidence of this phase of the plot. Thus ownership remained with the original consignees in Vancouver or Calgary, and by presenting this evidence of ownership, the car could be diverted without the company's knowledge. It was originally directed in Winnipeg, being aware that their name had been used to camouflage the booze movement. This, however, involved giving a fictitious name in a transportation transaction, which is a violation of a clause of the Railway Act.

## The Briquetting Experiments

Senator Claims that Briant's Tests Are Disastrous Failure

Ottawa.—The expenditure of \$900,000 on briquetting experiments at Briant, Sask., of which one-half was paid by the Dominion Government and a quarter each by Manitoba and Saskatchewan, was being wound up in the Senate by Senator Casselman.

He felt that the committee to investigate this expenditure should be appointed. He also recommended that efforts be made to utilize the plant for other, more useful purposes. The experiments had been a hopeless failure, he said.

Senator Turf recommended that a further small expenditure be made to complete the experiments.

### A Unique Memorial

Calgary.—The Colonel MacLeod chapter, Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, is erecting an imposing war memorial in front of the public library. "Coeur de Lion" McCarthy, of Montreal, is the sculptor. The figure is of bronze and depicts a youth, virile, energetic, spontaneous, attired in full kit, just receiving the news of the armistice.

## Changes Are Proposed In Amending Bill Of The Bank Act

Ottawa.—The collapse of the Mercantile Bank and the interpretation afterwards put on the publicity statements of the Bank Act are reflected in changes proposed in the amending bill, the text of which is available.

In regard to the return which banks are required to make to the Finance Department and which are subsequently given to the public, the bill proposes no change in the designation of the officers who sign the return, but it is provided that "such return shall be deemed to have been prepared, approved and concurred in by the persons severally who have signed the same."

W. N. U. 1466

## Manitoba Farmers Discuss Wheat Board

Strong Feeling Expressed that Plan Will Not Work Satisfactorily

The proposed establishment of a compulsory wheat board to handle the 1922 crop, was the subject of an interesting discussion at Portage la Prairie on Saturday, March 10, when upwards of 50 leading farmers of the district met for the purpose of pronouncing their views in anticipation of a wheat board bill being introduced into the Manitoba Legislature.

Among the representative farmers who spoke were Ed. Muir for many years reeve of the rural municipality of Portage la Prairie, who was born in Manitoba and has spent most of his life farming upon a large scale at High Bluff; Joseph Trimble, President of the High Bluff local of the United Farmers of Manitoba; Frank Baker, representative of the Farmers' Advocate; Thomas Kilson, a prominent farmer of Portage Plains; J. Tidbury, a leading farmer of High Bluff, who farms upon the same scale as Mr. Muir; Charles Grob (Chairman), another old-timer of Manitoba and a large farmer himself; W. Mackenzie, another member of the Portage local of the U.F.M., and many others.

Mr. Muir stated that he would much rather listen to others than talk himself, but felt that the desire of the farmers to secure a better price for their wheat would not be accomplished by a wheat board. In fact, the 1919 wheat board was designed, he said, to keep prices from going higher, to stabilize financial conditions and save off financial panic.

Conditions now were not the same as in 1919. In that year, said Mr. Muir, all allied European nations were buying through one board; not only had that condition changed, but the powers provided in the federal bill for the wheat board now proposed, were far from adequate. The 1919 board possessed. During war years, governments could exercise all manner of compulsory powers which could not be called into play in times of peace. The 1919 board had power over transportation; it had power over terminals at the head of the Great Lakes—full control, in fact; it had control over milling and flour and also had the friendly co-operation of the grain trade and those who owned grain handling facilities.

The proposed board for 1922 would not have those powers; and in spite of having these powers, the 1919 board had not been a success from the standpoint of securing better prices for the farmers. The average price secured by United States farmers during the operations of the 1919 board was 60 cents per bushel higher than the \$2.63 secured by the Canadian farmers for No. 1 Northern. As a matter of fact, many farmers adjacent to the international boundary, had lost their grain across and secured the higher prices.

There was no duty on wheat in 1919 and had it not been for the wheat board the Canadian farmer would have got a far better price than he had. Controlling the millers, the 1919 board was able to take a proportion of four per cent on its revenues; that could not be done this year. In view of the United States provision for the 1922 board, he felt that it would be a mistake for western farmers to have a wheat board established this year. Having no control over transportation, none over flour and none over terminals, the board would be a mere selling agency to be financed by the pro-

"It shall not," the bill says further, "except to the chief accountant or acting chief accountant of the bank, be sufficient to state that such return agrees with the books of the bank, but the return shall set forth the true financial position of the bank, according to the latest information possessed by, or reasonably available to, the officers, or any one of them, who sign the return."

Again "the president, vice-president, or director acting as president, and the general manager or, other principal officers of the bank who have severally signed any such return, shall be deemed to have ascertained the true financial position of the bank."

It was impossible to discuss.

Neither Premier Dunning nor Premier Bracken had much faith in the proposal, declared Mr. Muir. Mr. Wood of Alberta was the chief man behind the demand for a board to control and stabilize the market. But, the only way it could control would be by controlling the flow of grain, and if old country millers and buyers were refused wheat by the board when they wanted it, they would buy elsewhere and leave a lot of wheat without a market, on the Canadian farmers' hands. Mr. Muir cited figures to show that from 1908 to 1916 there were only two years out of the eight when it might have paid a farmer to hold his wheat. Generally speaking it did not pay.

If wheat were around a dollar a bushel, declared Mr. Muir, the board could not afford to pay the farmer more than 75 cents as an initial payment, and they would have to wait 14 or 16 months for the balance. He did not see how any farmer in the west could carry on if he received only 75 per cent, or less, of the value of his wheat.

Mr. Joseph Trimble, President of the High Bluff local of the U.F.M., declared that he was opposed to the wheat board for many of the same reasons advanced by Mr. Muir. There were no financial arrangements that could be worked out, he said, under the proposed plan. Without control of transport, terminals and flour, it was a poor, weak and lame attempt to handle the wheat crop of this country. It added to the fact that the western provinces have harvests later than ours and have not the railway facilities that we have, and owing to the distances they have to haul they can't market it as early in the fall as we do. But when we market, we get 75 per cent of our crop before Saskatchewan ever gets in at all, and about 55 or 56 per cent of our crop is marketed in the first 20 months of the season, we would be sacrificing an awful lot to Saskatchewan and Alberta in the way of premiums. Take the records of the Winnipeg grain exchange and the Chicago grain exchange, the latter for 60 or 65 years; the winter price has loomed very largely as the chief basis; we would be sacrificing an awful lot to the western provinces in going for a wheat board.

"Another fact I might mention," added Mr. Trimble, "is that I feel as an individual farmer that I am prepared to take 60 or 70 cents a bushel next fall and wait 12 months for the balance. I feel that that is largely the case with every farmer in the province of Manitoba today. I feel that it would be very grave injustice to the province of Manitoba for us to market on any programme like that at the present time."

Mr. Mackenzie felt that these expressions should have been brought out long before, he voted for a wheat board at the last U.F.M. convention, being fairly well satisfied with the operations of the 1919 board. He recalled that Mr. Rice-Jones, of the United Grain Growers Limited, had declared that he would not accept the chairmanship of a 1922 board, giving as a reason, that he did not know enough about transportation. Frank Bracken, he also recalled, had pointed out that Manitoba farmers stood to lose in premiums.

Mr. W. H. Hyle and Mr. Thomas Kilson both expressed the view that a wheat board, compulsory or otherwise, was not the proper system for handling the wheat crop. Both believed the present system the best, with a better degree of co-operation among the farmers such as could be brought about. W. C. Hall endorsed these views and strongly opposed the establishment of Manitoba's advantages and the premiums gained through early harvest.

Chairman Grob declared that he had talked with Premier Bracken personally and that the premier was in favor of the wheat board. When he considered the price of Manitoba wheat, he would not give any bouquets to Saskatchewan and Alberta. It would be impossible to get any ready money next fall if the wheat board plan were put through.

Mr. Tidbury spoke briefly in support of the wheat board, admitting at the same time the disadvantages that Manitoba in the loss of premiums. He was dissatisfied with present methods, prices and grading. Mr. Trimble made a swift rejoinder. He said in part, "Are we not to get \$50, \$60 and \$65 an acre land which takes most intensive cultivation? Are we not placing ourselves in a position of equality with Saskatchewan \$10 an acre land with no noxious weeds? I think that is worth thinking about. If there is any premium coming, we were the winners—or our fathers' fathers was one. We paved the way; we were the trail-blazers; and if there is anything coming to this western country it is surely coming to Manitoba and if we have got anything at all, the time we should hang on to it."

Mr. Trimble added that Hon. T. A. Cresser had spoken against the board at the convention in Brandon.

Thomas Kilson also spoke in opposition to the board. Unless the board could hand over all profits without waiting a year or so to do it, the idea was no good at all. Mr. Muir supported Mr. Tidbury's statement that the present system was one of competition. If he wanted to, he would join the U.F.M. the worst luck possible, he said, he would use it to support the wheat board.

Frank Baker, of the Farmers' Advocate, declared that the 1919 board was not the huge success some people claimed it was. A consular report the Quebec Basities, which was destroyed last December, \$500,000 will be required.

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A. P. Hinz, Manager of The Leader, Bruno, Sask. John P. Pletsch is co-proprietor of The Pioneer.

hoped subsequently to evolve. It suggested that a Saskatchewan farmer had made a great success in placing the wheat trade upon its feet in a co-operative way in the south, should be copied by the Manitoba Government to come here and investigate with a view to recommending an efficient system of co-operative marketing. Mr. Muir and Mr. Trimble warmly endorsed the suggestion.

Mr. Grob, in closing the meeting, declared that there had been a strong reaction from the wheat board idea, that many who three months ago favored a wheat board were now utterly opposed to it.

## Saskatchewan House Is Prorogued

Final Passage of Some Thirty Bills on Order Paper

Regina.—After being in session 30 working days, the Saskatchewan Legislature was prorogued at 10:30 Thursday night.

In proroguing the third session of the fifth legislature, with the usual ceremonies, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor made reference to the new enactments simplifying and making less expensive the process of debt collections; the provisions made for the treatment of tuberculosis; the creation of a department of health, and the passage of resolutions for presentation to the Federal Government.

While the last day's work consisted principally of the completion in committee and final passage of some thirty bills still on the order paper, a number of resolutions of interest were made in connection with the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission and the proposed, cruise to Hudson's Bay through the straits to be organized by the province already.

In connection with the former the Premier stated as he had not received any replies from Ottawa to his queries, the House would have to remain satisfied with the assumption that the province already had sufficient authority to confer powers on the commission with respect to the inquiry so far as it affected the interests of this province.

With respect to the trip to Hudson's Bay, the Premier announced the Government was of the opinion they should not be represented on the cruise, but stated that steps were being taken by some of the western provinces to organize an official trip to the Bay over the H.B. Railway during 1922.

"The report of the committee on agriculture which has been investigating the quality of liquor supplied to the drugists under the authorization of the Saskatchewan Liquor Commission recommending changes in methods of handling these supplies was adopted by the House without discussion."

Prince Henry Meets With Accident.—London.—Prince Henry, third son of King George, was thrown while exercising a horse at the cavalry school at Weoburn.

According to the Daily Mail, the Prince suffered a slight concussion of the brain, but is recovering satisfactorily.

Need More Funds.—Quebec.—The funds for the rebuilding of Quebec Basities now stands at \$125,000. An order to completely restore the Quebec Basities, which was destroyed last December, \$500,000 will be required.

## Plan Of Senate Reform Submitted To Commons By Minister Of Finance

### EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

NO CANADIAN TAX UPON AMERICANS WORKING IN CANADA, BUT LIVING IN U.S.

Ottawa.—United States citizens working in Canada, but resident in the United States will remain exempt from Canadian income tax.

Under an amendment to the Canadian Income Tax Act passed last session, authority was given to make United States citizens working in, but not resident in Canada, liable to income tax, while the United States granted exemption to Canadians similarly situated. The amendment was to go into effect on proclamation, but in view of the recent act of Congress conferring exemption on Canadians working, but not resident, in the States, the Canadian amendment will not be proclaimed.

### Spring Rush In Yukon

All Means of Transportation Being Used to Carry Ore

Dawson.—The spring rush is on in the Yukon. The overland trail from White Horse of Dawson and Mayo with horse and dog teams and hikers moved northward. The White Pass shipyards are operating at full blast repairing the upper Yukon river fleet. A ten-ton caterpillar tractor with three trailers hauling five tons of freight each, started over the trail from White Horse for Mayo, a distance of 300 miles, the first journey of its kind ever undertaken over Yukon snows.

So many individual silver claims are producing at Keno Hill in addition to two big companies, that every horse, dog team, automobile sleigh and caterpillar in the district has been crowded into service, rushing ore to Mayo Landing before the snow disappears. It is expected that 8,000 tons will be transported before April 1.

### New Air Route Inaugurated

Regular Service Opened Between Chicago, Detroit, Toronto and Ottawa

Toronto.—An immense all-metal monoplane, with a wing spread of 52 feet, has reached Toronto, the first, it is declared, of a regularly scheduled passenger and passenger mail service between Chicago, Detroit and Ottawa. Five men came with the plane.

The machine is owned by the International Airways, Limited, an organization which is developing plans for the establishment of a regular air service.

Under the schedule, Detroit and Ottawa will be made only two hours' distance from Toronto, while it will be possible to reach Chicago in five hours. Toronto is to be the base of operations.

### Would Abolish Prefix

Ottawa.—The abolition of the prefix "Honorable" and "Right Honorable" for members of the privy council of Canada and Great Britain respectively, is recommended in a resolution which L. H. Martell (Liberal, Hants), intends moving in the House of Commons.

## Discuss Possibility Of Shipping Alberta Coal To Eastern Provinces

Ottawa.—It might be laid down as an axiom," said Sir Henry Thornton, President of the Canadian National Railways, giving evidence before the Senate Fuel Committee, that Canada should not be dependent on a foreign source for coal supply.

The United States had been good to Canada in supplying us with coal, but an emergency might arise at any time which would make it impossible for that country to continue. Therefore it became essential to solve the problem within Canada.

"It looks fairly hopeful," said Sir Henry when questioned on the possibility of bringing Alberta coal to Ontario and Quebec and selling it in competition with the American product. But railway rates must not be too low as to cut the throat of the railway."

Canada had coal. The question was one of transportation.

"First," proceeded Sir Henry, "we must see if we can establish such rates as will enable our own coal to be sold in Ontario and Quebec in competition with foreign coal without impairing the revenues of the railway."

"Where does your system get its coal supply in Western Canada?" Sir Henry was asked.

"From the Alberta field," he replied.

Alberta coal was used on the Canadian National Railways as far east as Winnipeg. He thought Nova Scotia coal would always have a tendency to take advantage of the water route.

Sir Henry was asked if it would not be difficult to raise the rate on coal supporting it was reduced temporarily to meet an emergency. He replied that it might be difficult but there was no reason why it should not be done. If a low rate had accomplished its purpose it would go up.

There was no reason why the grant of a reduced rate of coal should be followed by reductions on other commodities.

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## Local and General Items

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bird are spending their Easter vacation with friends in Calgary.

The home of W. Lynch at Beaver Mines was totally destroyed by fire last week.

R. Smallwood & Son have reopened their auto repairing establishment on Dearborn Street.

The M. and E. Rescue Car No. 1 is this week on Blaimore riding in charge of Constable Ed. Royle.

Jake Whiller, of Hillcrest, is recovering slowly from a prolonged illness and is able to bout occasionally.

Toronto is to have another skyscraper, the highest in the British Empire, to be built by the Canadian National Railways.

The population of the four western provinces has increased since 1913 from 2,150,000 (estimated) to 2,479,451, an increase of 329,451 or 15.32 per cent.

P. Burns & Co., Limited, offer for Saturday, Dominion Link Sausage 22c per pound, Ideal Bolo at 15c. Weiners at 22c. Head Cheese at 18c. Cheese Loaf at 25c. Compressed Ham at 25c.

A whist drive and dance will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall at Bellevue on the night of Easter Monday, starting at 8 o'clock sharp. Mrs. Stokes' orchestra will attend. Good prizes will be awarded.

A number of Liquor Act offenders were caused to appear before court on Saturday and fines were exacted from four or five who pleaded guilty. One of the party paid an additional ten bones for having in his possession a loaded revolver, with no permit therefor.

Mrs. Catherine Mortiboy, of Seattle, formerly of Lethbridge, reported recently as having fallen heir to a fortune of \$700,000 through the death of a relative in England, is now charged with forgery. It is thought that Mrs. Mortiboy's excitement started over a fake letter similar to those received by a few Passites last year.

It is bordering upon persecution to victimize poor people in connection with the operation of punch boards, while the agent or dealer is permitted to regularly visit the district, dispose of the apparatus and collect the cash and get away with it. If, as we have previously contended, the operation of the punch boards is illegal, surely the party who thrusts the devices upon our people is an equal offender.

The vicar of a London church was asked not long ago to preach a special sermon on temperance. After announcing this request he continued: "There are only two drinks mentioned in the Book of Psalms. One is wine, that maketh glad the heart of man. The other is water with which the wild asses quench their thirst. You can take your choice."—Philadelphia Star.

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Capt. W. A. Beebe has been somewhat under the weather for a few days.

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There will be a meeting of the Board of Trustees at the school house at 8 o'clock tonight.

It might be interesting to know that there are only about a dozen soft drink parlors on Victoria Street.

Income tax forms will likely be ready for distribution next week. They are to be returned before April 30th.

It is said that the Local Union on Sunday last voted strongly for the retention of Dr. Olivier as miners' doctor.

If you are amused by "tongue-twisters," try this, recommended by the Chicago Tribune: "See shy slow Sue show shy Sioux snowshoes."

At the regular meeting of Livingstone Lodge No. 22, held in Castle hall on Friday night last, four candidates were initiated.

The Oddfellows' hall at Etzikom was gutted by fire on Sunday morning last. Records, paraphernalia and furnishings are a total loss.

Order your Easter Plants and Cut Flowers now from F. M. Thompson's. Agents for Frache Bros. and Terrill Floral Company.

Henry Zak, proprietor of the Union Meat Market here, leaves in a few days for his old home in Bohemia. He will be away several months.

Skating and curling are about at an end here and already folks are beginning to grease up their golf and tennis equipment and Porky has had his bathing suit out for an airing.

Unrivalled Products—Shamrock Hams, whole, 35c per lb. Shamrock Bacon, whole 46c per lb. Dominion Hams, whole 33c per lb. Dominion Bacon, whole, 42c per lb. Saturday only at P. Burns & Co., Ltd.

Mrs. Menzies, mother of Mrs. Jas. Allan and Mrs. Odell, passed away at Coleman on Monday morning. Mrs. Menzies came from Aberdeen, Scotland, about sixteen years ago. Interment took place in the Coleman cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Billie Morrison, who, accompanied by his large Newfoundland dog, started from Halifax on October 13th last to walk to Vancouver, has reached Edmonton, Alberta, and has decided to return from there on foot to Halifax. He is sixty-three years of age and is feeling wonderfully fit and arrived at Edmonton one day ahead of his schedule. At times his four-footed companion became so footsore that he had to wear cloth shoes.

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FOR SALE—White Wicker Baby Buggy, in good condition. Apply to The Enterprise.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One-Ton Dray, in good condition. Also two English Saddles and bridles. Apply to S. J. Sargent, Blaimore.

A branch line of the C.P.R. over the irrigated district from Kips to Little Bow River, will be built this year. The distance is about twenty miles.

The magistrates must have thought it a proper disposition of the family property, for they decreed accordingly, and the gentleman lived to be ninety-five years old and continued his golf playing to the end!

If the town could collect a head tax from insurance agents considerable revenue would be derived. Pretty well every second person one meets now is peddling insurance.

A sale and tea is being conducted this afternoon in the I. O. O. F. hall by the Ladies Sewing Circle of the Union Church. Sale of Easter lilies, plants, sweets, fancy sewing and tea.

Remember the big minstrel show to be staged at the opera house tomorrow afternoon and night by the C. P. R. Social and Athletic Club, of Lethbridge. Afternoon at 2 and evening at 8 o'clock. For further information see bills.

The appeal of the residents of Beaver Mines and Castle River districts for a bridge crossing Castle River to connect up a shorter route to the Pass market has been granted. The new bridge will be constructed this spring.

Mrs. Harold J. Scott entertained informally at tea on Saturday afternoon, prior to leaving for Calgary, where they will in future reside. The guests included Mrs. Dutil, Mrs. Crooks, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Elwin, Mrs. Gillis, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Visser, Mrs. Farley, Mrs. Chappell, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. L. Morgan, Mrs. Passmore, Mrs. Olivier, Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Clark, and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Lord Riddell, one of the British delegates to the Washington conference who made many American friends while in this country, speaking at a recent luncheon at the Cricketh Golf Club, told this story:

The greatest hero in golf history was a Scotsman who in the year 1710 used to start playing at dawn and end by putting at the last green by candle light. Matters reached such a stage that his wife, an innkeeper, applied for a separation order on the ground that her husband so neglected his business that he did not properly support her.

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Mr. J. B. Harmer disposed of his residence on State Street last week to Mr. George Snood, of Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Harmer and family are moving to Calgary in the near future where they will make their home.